BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL BOYNE FALLS, MICHIGAN FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2008

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Education Boyne Falls Public School Boyne Falls, MI 49713

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Boyne Falls Public School as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Boyne Falls Public School, as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 11, 2008 on our consideration of Boyne Falls Public School's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of our audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Board of Education Boyne Falls Public School Boyne Falls, MI 49713

The administration's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 8 and page 25 are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquires of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Boyne Falls Public School's basic financial statements. The accompanying other pages of supplementary information, as identified in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Those schedules and statements have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Robertson & Carpenter CPAs, P.C. Certified Public Accountants September 11, 2008

Management's Discussion and Analysis

As management of the Boyne Falls Public School (the "District"), we offer readers of the District's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

Financial Highlights

- The assets of the District exceeded its liabilities at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$1,271,483 (net assets). Of this amount, \$398,348 (unrestricted net assets) may be used to meet the District's ongoing obligations, \$456,234 is restricted for debt service.
- The District's total net assets increased by \$70,277.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$910,374, an increase of \$59,801 in comparison with the prior year. Approximately 50%, or \$451,813, is available for spending at the District's discretion (unreserved fund balance).
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance for the general fund was \$420,352 or 15 % percent of total general fund expenditures.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The District's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) District-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

District-wide financial statements. The *District-wide financial statements* are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the District's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The *statement of net assets* presents information on all of the District's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as *net assets*. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or deteriorating.

The *statement of activities* presents information showing how the District's net assets changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net assets are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, *regardless of the timing of related cash flows*. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., earned but unused sick or vacation leave).

Both of the District-wide financial statements present functions of the District that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (*governmental activities*). The governmental activities of the District include instruction, support services, food service, athletics and community service. The District has no business-type activities as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 9-10 of this report.

Fund financial statements. A *fund* is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the District can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the District-wide financial statements. However, unlike the District-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a District's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the District-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for *governmental funds* with similar information presented for *governmental activities* in the District-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between *governmental funds* and *governmental activities*.

The District maintains three individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general and debt service funds. Data from the other three non-governmental funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor governmental funds is provided in the form of *combining statements* elsewhere in this report.

The District adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general and special revenue funds. Budgetary comparison statements or schedules have been provided for the general fund herein to demonstrate compliance with those budgets.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 11-12 of this report.

Fiduciary funds. Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the District. Fiduciary funds are *not* reflected in the District-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are *not* available to support the District's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds.

The basic fiduciary fund financial statements can be found on page 14 of this report.

Notes to the financial statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 15-24 of this report.

Other information. The combining statements referred to earlier in connection with non-major governmental funds are presented immediately following the notes to the financial statements. Combining fund statements and schedules can be found on pages 26-27 of this report.

District-wide Financial Analysis

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the District, assets exceeded its liabilities by \$1,271,483 at the close of the most recent fiscal year.

A portion of the District's net assets, \$416,901, reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, vehicles, and equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. The District uses these capital assets to provide services to the students it serves; consequently, these assets are *not* available for future spending. Although the District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

District's Net Assets

Governmental Activities		
	2007-2008	2006-2007
Assets		
Current and Other Assets	\$ 1,301,965	\$ 1,178,205
Capital Assets, Net	8,090,192	8,365,834
Total Assets	9,392,157	9,544,039
Liabilities		
Long Term Liabilities Outstanding	7,357,701	7,671,303
Other Liabilities	762,973	671,530
Total Liabilities	8,120,674	8,342,833
Net Assets		
Invested in Capital Assets,		
Net of Related Debt	416,901	404,366
Restricted	456,234	423,876
Unrestricted	398,348	372,964
Total Net Assets	\$ 1,271,483	\$ 1,201,206

An additional portion of the District's net assets (36%) represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance is *unrestricted net assets*, \$398,348.

The District's net assets increased by \$70,277 during the current fiscal year. Most of this increase is attributable to an increase in property tax revenue. The District's blended enrollment was approximately 304 students.

		District's Change	s in Net Assets			
Governme	ental Activities	5				
				2007-2008		2006-2007
Revenue						
Program R						
	Charges for		\$	74,638	\$	75,996
	Operating G	ants and Contributions		275,172		251,264
General Re	evenue:				+	
	Property Tax	es		3,041,604		3,097,643
	State Schoo			38,008		55,964
	Other			223,057		273,161
Total Rev	enue			3,652,479		3,754,028
Expenses	<u> </u>				-	
Instruction				1,677,840		1,683,955
Support Se	ervices			1,104,610		1,053,660
Food Servi	ce			141,678		119,542
Athletics				42,434		43,611
Amortization	on - Bond Refu	nding Costs		1,988		1,987
	on - unallocated			286,797		286,796
Interest on	Long Term De	ot		326,855		365,610
Total Exp	enses			3,582,202		3,555,161
-	(Decrease) in I	Not Assots		70,277		100 067
mcrease ((Decrease) in i	NET WOOF IS		10,211	+	198,867
Net Assets	s, Beginning of	Year		1,201,206		1,002,339
Net Assets	s, End of Year		\$	1,271,483	\$	1,201,206

Governmental activities. Governmental activities increased the District's net assets \$70,277.

Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

As noted earlier, the District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental funds. The focus of the District's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the District's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the District's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, the District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$910,374, an increase of \$59,801 in comparison with the prior year. Approximately 50% of this total amount (\$451,813) constitutes *unreserved fund balance*, which is available for spending at the District's discretion. The remainder of fund balance is *reserved* to indicate that it is not available for new spending because the underlying assets are included in debt retirement and are not available for current expenditure.

The general fund is the principal operating fund of the District. At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance of the general fund was \$420,352. As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unreserved fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unreserved fund balance and total fund balance each represent approximately 15 percent of total general fund expenditures.

The fund balance of the District's general fund increased by \$23,100 during the current fiscal year. This increase is primarily do to increasing property tax revenue.

The food service fund has a total fund balance of \$ 33,788, which increased by \$4,343 this year.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Differences between the original and final amended budgets were relatively minor, with expenses only adjusting 4% in total from beginning to final. The excess of revenues over expenditures budgetary figure was less than the actual results by \$15,992 for the General Fund. As additional information became known during the fiscal year, budget amendments were made to recognize the increase in revenue and/or planned expenditures related to various District programs.

Capital assets. The District's investment in capital assets for its governmental activities as of June 30, 2008, amounted to \$8,090,192 (net of accumulated depreciation). Investment in capital assets includes land, land improvements, buildings, vehicles and equipment.

The major capital asset event during the current fiscal year was the purchase of equipment.

District's Capital Assets (net of depreciation)

	_	2007-2008	 2006-2007
Land	\$	5,000	\$ 5,000
Land Improvement		387,495	415,817
Buildings		6,805,256	6,957,487
Vehicles		114,787	132,678
Equipment		777,654	854,852
Total	\$	8,090,192	\$ 8,365,834

Additional information on the District's capital assets can be found in note 5 on page 21 of this report.

Long-term debt. The district currently has a 1999 Bond issue with an outstanding balance of \$215,000 in bonds, a 2004 Bond issue with an outstanding balance of \$2,420,000 in bonds and a 2007 Bond issue (refunding of a portion of the 1999 Bond issue) with an outstanding balance of \$5,095,000.

Factors Bearing on the District's Future

The following factors were considered in preparing the District's budget for the 2008-2009 fiscal year:

- Due to significant increases in the Boyne Falls Public School District's non-homestead taxable values, the District became an out of formula district with the State of Michigan. The district is no longer dependant on the State of Michigan to provide per pupil funding, as this will all be collected from the local non-homestead millage. The future revenue growth for the district will be dependant solely on the increasing non-homestead property values within the district which have shown and are forecasted to continue with positive growth.
- With the increased costs of utilities, health insurance and other contractual obligations the district has adopted a budget projecting a small surplus anticipating that the increased costs will be covered by increased revenues for the upcoming school year.
- Operating as an out of formula district allows the Boyne Falls School the opportunity
 to utilize it's facilities and schools of choice program to the maximum benefit of the
 district's students without facing funding implications from the State of Michigan
 School Aid Fund.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances for all those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to:

Boyne Falls Public School Superintendent's Office P.O. Box 356 Boyne Falls, MI 49713

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT WIDE - STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2008

Current Assets Cash and investments (Note 3) Accounts receivable (Note 4) Due from governmental units (Note 4) Inventory Total current assets	ASSETS \$	Governmental
Noncurrent Assets Capital assets (Note 5) Less: accumulated depreciation Total non current assets Total assets	\$	9,830,825 (1,740,633) 8,090,192 9,392,157
LIABILITIE	ES AND NET ASSETS	
Current Liabilities Accounts payable Salaries payable Accrued interest Deferred revenue (Note 4) Bonds payable, Due within one year (Note 7) Installment purchases, Due within one year (Install current liabilities	\$ Note 7)	53,791 304,200 55,792 33,600 305,000 10,590 762,973
Noncurrent Liabilities Bonds payable (Note 7) Installment purchase Total noncurrent liabilities		7,323,200 34,501 7,357,701
Total Liabilities		8,120,674
Net Assets Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Restricted for debt service Unrestricted Total Net Assets		416,901 456,234 398,348 1,271,483
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$	9,392,157

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT WIDE - STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			_	Program	ī	Governmental Activities Net (Expense)		
		Expenses	_	Charges for Services	_	Operating Grants		Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
Functions/programs								
Governmental Activities								
Instruction	\$	1,677,840	\$	1,854	\$	179,933	\$	(1,496,053)
Support services		1,104,610		10,777		714		(1,093,119)
Food services		141,678		51,363		94,525		4,210
Athletics		42,434		10,644		-		(31,790)
Interest on long term debt		326,855		-		-		(326,855)
Amortization - bond								
refunding costs		1,988		-		-		(1,988)
Depreciation - unallocated		286,797		-		-		(286,797)
Total Governmental Activities	\$_	3,582,202	\$_	74,638	\$_	275,172	_	(3,232,392)
General Revenues								
Taxes								
Property taxes, levied for g	nene	ral operations	:					2,411,696
Property taxes, levied for o	-	=	,					629,908
State of Michigan aid, unre								38,008
Interest and investment earn								36,634
Other	ııı ıg.	,						186,423
Other							-	100,425
Total General Revenues							_	3,302,669
Change in Net Assets								70,277
Net assets - beginning of year	ar						_	1,201,206
Net assets - end of year							\$_	1,271,483

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

		GENERAL	_	1999 DEBT SERVICE	_	2004 DEBT SERVICE	_	2007 DEBT SERVICE
ASSETS	_		_		_		_	
Cash and investments	\$	757,845	\$	160,497	\$	150,730	\$	145,007
Accounts receivable Due from other governmental units		20,894 22,706		_		_		_
Due from other funds		10,498		_		-		_
Inventory		-		_		_		_
Total Assets	\$	811,943	\$	160,497	\$	150,730	\$	145,007
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
LIABILITIES:								
Accounts payable	\$	53,791	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Accrued salaries and withholdings		304,200		-		-		-
Deferred revenue Due to other funds		33,600		-		-		-
Total Liabilities		391,591	_		_	<u>-</u>	-	-
	•	331,331	-		-		-	_
FUND BALANCES: Reserved for debt retirement				160 407		150 720		145 007
Reserved for inventory		_		160,497		150,730		145,007
Unreserved and undesignated:								_
General		420,352		_		_		-
Food Service		-		-		-		-
Total Fund Balances	•	420,352	_	160,497	_	150,730	_	145,007
Total Liabilities and	-	_	_	_	_	_		_
Fund Balances	\$	811,943	\$_	160,497	\$	150,730	\$_	145,007
Total Governmental Fund Bala	ınc	es					\$	910,374
Elimination of due to and due f	ror	n governmen	tal f	unds			·	,
Due to		_						10,498
Due from								(10,498)
Amounts reported for governm	en	tal activities ir	n th	e statement o	of ne	et assets		
are different because:								
Capital assets used in gov					cıaı			
financial resources, and The cost of capital ass			III	ine iunas.	\$	9,830,825		
Accumulated deprecia					Ψ	(1,740,633)		
/ todamatata depresia					-	(1,1 10,000)		8,090,192
Long term liabilities are no	t d	ue and payab	le i	n the current	per	iod		-,,
and are not reported in the	he	fund						
Bonds payable								(7,673,291)
Accrued interest is not incl	ud	ed as a liabilit	y ir	government	al fu	unds		(55,792)
Net Assets of Go	ve	rnmental Acti	vitie	es			\$	1,271,483

OTHER NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL

 FUNDS	\L 	TOTALS
\$ 40,979 - 980 - 2,327	\$	1,255,058 20,894 23,686 10,498 2,327
\$ 44,286	\$_	1,312,463
\$ -	\$	53,791
-		304,200
-		33,600
 10,498		10,498
 10,498	_	402,089
_		456,234
2,327		2,327
2,021		2,021
_		420,352
31,461		31,461
 33,788	_	910,374
 22,. 20	_	0.0,011
\$ 44,286	\$_	1,312,463

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		GENERAL		1999 DEBT SERVICE		2004 DEBT SERVICE		2007 DEBT SERVICE
Local sources	\$	2,456,600	\$	219,987	\$	172,292	\$	245,721
State sources		137,664		-		-		-
Federal sources		80,991		-		-		-
Interdistrict sources	_	182,488		<u>-</u>		-		
Total Revenues	-	2,857,743	_	219,987	_	172,292	_	245,721
EXPENDITURES: Current:								
Instruction		1,677,840		-		-		-
Support services		1,100,618		-		-		-
Debt service		-		218,481		184,481		200,714
Capital outlay		11,155		-		-		-
Intergovernmental payments	_	836	_	1,367	_	599	_	-
Total Expenditures	-	2,790,449	-	219,848	_	185,080	_	200,714
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	_	67,294	_	139	_	(12,788)	_	45,007
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Operating transfers in (out) Loan payments Total Other Financing	_	(31,719) (12,475)	_	(100,000)	_	-	_	100,000
Sources (Uses)	_	(44,194)	_	(100,000)	_		_	100,000
NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES		23,100		(99,861)		(12,788)		145,007
FUND BALANCES - Beginning of year	-	397,252	_	260,358	_	163,518	_	
FUND BALANCES - End of year	\$	420,352	\$_	160,497	\$_	150,730	\$_	145,007

OTHER
NONMAJOR
GOVERNMENTAL

G	JVERNMENTA	\L	
	FUNDS	TOTALS	
\$	62,211	\$ 3,156,811	
	5,095	142,759)
	89,430	170,421	
		182,488	}
	156,736	3,652,479)
	-	1,677,840)
	184,112	1,284,730)
	-	603,676	
	-	11,155	•
		2,802	
	184,112	3,580,203	}
·	(27,376)	72,276	.
	31,719	(12,475	
	31,719	(12,475	5)
	4,343	59,801	
ı	29,445	850,573	}
\$	33,788	\$ 910,374	L

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds			\$ 59,801
Amounts reported for governmental activities are differen	t becau	se:	
Government funds report capital outlays as expenditure in the statement of activities these costs are allocate over their estimated useful lives as depreciation.			
Depreciation expense	\$	(286,797)	
Capital Outlay		11,155	(275,642)
Accrued interest is recorded in the statement of activit when incurred; it is not reported in governmental fund until paid	ies		(2,059)
Repayments of bond principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but not in the statement of			000.477
activities (where it reduces long-term debt)			 288,177
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities			\$ 70,277

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL FIDUCIARY FUND STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2008

	2008
ASSETS Cash Due from other funds	\$ 68,544 -
Total Assets	\$ 68,544
LIABILITIES Due to other funds Deposits held for others	\$ - 68,544
Total Liabilities	\$ 68,544

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Boyne Falls Public School ("the District") conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the more significant policies used by the District:

REPORTING ENTITY

The District is governed by an elected seven member Board of Education. The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with criteria established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) for determining the various governmental organizations to be included in the reporting entity. These criteria include significant operational financial relationships that determine which of the governmental organizations are a part of the District's reporting entity, and which organizations are legally separate, component units of the school district. Based on the application criteria, the District does not contain any component units.

DISTRICT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The district-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of changes in net assets) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. All the District's government wide activities are considered governmental activities.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenue includes (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a certain function and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes, intergovernmental payments, and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported a separate columns in the fund financial statements.

MEASUREMENT FOCUS, BASIS OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION

District-Wide Statements - The district-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year in which they are levied. Grants, categorical aid and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

As a general rule, the effect of inter-fund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

MEASUREMENT FOCUS, BASIS OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION (continued)

Fund Based Statements - Government fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and severance pay, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, unrestricted state aid, intergovernmental grants and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenue of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be available only when the cash is received by the District.

The fiduciary fund statement is also reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the district, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The 1999 Debt Service Fund is used to record tax, interest, and other revenue for payment of principal, interest and other expenditures of the 1999 bond issue.

The 2004 Debt Service Fund is used to record tax, interest, and other revenue for payment of principal, interest and other expenditures of the 2004 bond issue.

The 2007 Debt Service Fund is used to record tax, interest, and other revenue for payment of principal, interest and other expenditures of the 2007 bond issue.

Additionally, the District reports the following fund types:

Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

The School Service Funds are Special Revenue Funds that segregate, for administrative purposes, the transactions of a particular activity from regular revenue and expenditure accounts. The District maintains full control of these funds. The School Service Funds maintained by the District are the Food Service and Athletic Fund.

Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the District in a trustee capacity or as an agent. Fiduciary Fund net assets and results of operations are not included in the government-wide statements. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The District maintains a Student Activities Fund to record the transactions of student and parent groups school-related purposes. The funds are segregated and held in trust for the students and parents.

ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS OR EQUITY

Deposits and Investments - Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

Receivables and Payables - In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Activity between fund that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "advances to/from other funds."

Property tax and other trade receivable are shown net of an allowance for uncollectible amounts. The taxpayers of the District have their properties assessed as of December 31 and the related property taxes are levied and become a lien on December 1 for 100% of the taxes which are due February 28. The 2007 taxable value of the District was \$36,587,780 homestead and \$133,945,027 non-homestead. The District levied 18.00 mills for operating purposes on non-homestead and 3.65 mills for debt service on all property for 2007.

The State of Michigan utilized a foundation allowance approach, which provides for a specific annual amount of revenue per student based on a state-wide formula. The foundation allowance is funded from a combination of state and local sources. Revenues from state sources are primarily governed by the School Aid Act and the School Code of Michigan. The state portion of the foundation is provided from the state's School Aid Fund and is recognized as revenue in accordance with state law and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The District also receives revenue from the state to administer certain categorical education programs. State rules require that revenue earmarked for these programs be used for its specific purpose. Certain categorical funds require an accounting to the state of the expenditures incurred. For categorical funds meeting this requirement, funds received, which are not expended by the close of the fiscal year are recorded as deferred revenue. Other categorical funding is recognized when the appropriation is received.

Inventories and Prepaid items - Inventories are valued at cost, on a first-in, first-out basis. Inventory is maintained in the Special Revenue Fund (Food Service Fund). Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include land, buildings, equipment, and vehicles are reported in the applicable governmental column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an individual cost of more than \$2,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of 1 year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Costs of normal repair and maintenance that do not add to the value or materially extend the asset life are not capitalized. The District does not have infrastructure type assets.

Buildings, equipment, and vehicles are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following

useful lives: Buildings and additions 20-50 years

Buses and other vehicles 10 years Furniture and other equipment 10-20 years

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS OR EQUITY (continued)

Compensated Absences - There is no liability for compensated absences reported in the government-wide statements as the terms of the negotiated contracts do not provide for such allowances. Vacation days are required to be used annually with no carryovers allowed. Sick pay and vacation pay are recognized in the financial statements when paid.

Long-term Obligations - In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the statement of net assets.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources. Issuance costs are reported as other bond expenditures.

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriating or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

Comparative Data/Reclassifications - Comparative data is not included in the District's financial statements.

NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information - Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted account principles and state law for the general and special revenue funds. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The budget document presents information by fund and function. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing body (i.e., the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) is the function level. State law requires the district to have its budget in place by July 1. Expenditures in excess of amounts budgeted is a violation of Michigan Law. State law permits districts to amend its budgets during the year. During the year the budgets were amended in a legally permissible manner. There were no significant amendments during the year.

Encumbrances are not liabilities and, therefore, are not recorded as expenditures until the receipt of materials or services. For budgetary purposes, appropriations lapse at fiscal year end and outstanding encumbrances are reappropriated in the next year.

NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (continued)

Budgetary Information - (continued)

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations in Budgeted Funds - The District incurred expenditure variances as follows:

Fund and Function General:	<u>Approp</u>	riation	<u>E</u>	kpenditure	 Variance
Support services: Other	\$	_	\$	21,229	\$ 21,229

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

At year-end the District's deposits and investments were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

	Governmental	Fiduciary	District
	Activities	Funds	Total
Cash and investments	\$ 1,254,808	\$ 68,544	\$ 1,323,352
Total	\$ 1,254,808	\$ 68,544	\$ 1,323,352

The breakdown between deposits and investments for the District is as follows:

Deposits (checking, savings)	\$ 878,541
Investments (Michigan Liquid Asset Fund)	 444,811
	\$ 1,323,352

The total of cash and investments on the Statement of Net Assets includes petty cash of \$250.

As of June 30, 2008 the District had the following investments:

Fair Value Average

\$ 444,811 Average Maturity

\$ 31 days

Weighted

Investment Type Investment pool

Interest rate risk

In accordance with its investment policy, the District will minimize interest rate risk, which is the risk that the market value of securities in the portfolio will fall due to changes in market interest rates, by; investing operating funds primarily in shorter term securities, liquid asset funds, money market mutual funds, or similar investment pools and limiting the average maturity in accordance with the District's cash requirements.

Credit risk

State law limits investments in commercial paper and corporate bonds to a prime or better rating issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations (NRSROs). As of June 30, 2008 the District did not have any investments in commercial paper of corporate bonds.

Concentration of credit risk

The District will minimize the concentration of credit risk, which is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the District's investment in a single issuer, by diversifying the portfolio so that the impact of potential losses from any one type of security or issuer will be minimized. At June 30, 2008 the District's investments were in a pooled investment fund.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (continued)

Custodial credit risk - deposits

In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. At June 30, 2008, \$759,059 of the District's bank balance of \$878,541 was exposed to custodial risk because it was uninsured.

Custodial credit risk - investments

For an investment, this is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The District did not have any custodial credit risk on its investments at June 30, 2008. The District will minimize custodial credit risk, which is the loss due to the failure of the security issuer or backer, by; limiting investments to the types of securities allowed by law; and by pre-qualifying the financial institutions, brokers/dealers, intermediaries and advisors with which the District will do business.

Foreign currency risk

The District is not authorized to invest in investments which have this type of risk.

NOTE 4 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables as of year-end for the District's individual major funds and the nonmajor and fiduciary funds in the aggregate, including applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

		General Fund	1999 Debt Service Fund		2004 Debt Service Fund		2007 Debt Service Fund		Nonmajor and Other Funds		Total
Receivables:							-				
Accounts receivable	\$	20,894	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 20,894
Intergovernmental		22,706	_	-	_	-	_	-		980	23,686
Total receivables	\$_	43,600	\$_	-	\$		\$	-	\$	980	\$ 44,580

Governmental funds report deferred revenue in connection with receivables for revenue that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of deferred revenue are as follows:

	<u>Unav</u>	/ailable	<u> </u>	Unearned
Grants and categorical aid payment not considered available Payments received prior to meeting all eligibility requirements:	\$	-	\$	9,259
Vocational education millage			_	24,341
Totals	\$ <u></u>		\$ <u>_</u>	33,600
Total deferred revenue			\$_	33,600

NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity of the District's Governmental activities were as follows:

	Balance						Balance		
<u>Assets</u>	July 1, 2007	_	Additions Deletions				June 30, 2008		
Capital assets not being de	epreciated:								
Land	\$5,000	\$_		\$_		\$_	5,000		
Subtotal	5,000	_	-	_		_	5,000		
Capital assets being depre	ciated:								
Land improvements	566,432		-		-		566,432		
Buildings & improvements	7,611,564		-		-		7,611,564		
Buses	318,320		-		-		318,320		
Furniture & equipment	1,318,354	_	11,155	_	_	_	1,329,509		
Subtotal	9,814,670	_	11,155	_		_	9,825,825		
Accumulated Depreciation									
Land improvements	150,615		28,322		-		178,937		
Buildings & improvements	654,077		152,231		-		806,308		
Buses	185,642		17,891		-		203,533		
Furniture & equipment	463,502	_	88,353	_		_	551,855		
Subtotal	1,453,836	_	286,797	_		_	1,740,633		
Net capital assets being depreciated	8,360,834	_	(275,642)	_	<u>-</u>	_	8,085,192		
Governmental Activities Total Capital Assets net	0.005.007	•	(075.046)	•		•	0.000.455		
of Depreciation	\$ 8,365,834	\$ _	(275,642)	\$ <u>_</u>	-	\$_	8,090,192		

Depreciation expense was not charged to activities as the District considers its assets to impact multiple activities and allocation is not practical.

NOTE 6 - RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances is as follows:

Receivable Fund			Payable Fund		 Amount
General Fund	\$	10,498	Other Nonmajo	\$ 10,498	
Total	\$	10,498		Total	\$ 10,498
Transfer In		_	Transfer Out		 _
Other Nonmajor Go	vernme	ntal	General Fund		\$ 31,719

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT

The District issues bonds, notes, and other contractual commitments to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities and the acquisition of certain equipment. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge full faith and credit of the school district. Other long-term obligations include installment purchases.

Long-term debt activity can be summarized as follows:

		Beginning Balance	Additions (Reductions)		Ending Balance			Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities:					_		-	
General Obligation Bonds:								
1999 Issue	\$	415,000	\$	(200,000)	\$	215,000	\$	215,000
2004 Issue		2,500,000		(80,000)		2,420,000		90,000
2007 Issue		5,095,000		-		5,095,000		-
Installment purchase		55,256		(10,165)		45,091		10,590
Less: Deferred refunding cost	_	(103,788)	_	1,988	_	(101,800)	_	
Total Governmental Activities	\$_	7,961,468	\$_	(288,177)	\$_	7,673,291	\$_	315,590

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the General Obligation Bonds and Installment Purchases are as follows:

Year Ended		Governmental Activities								
June 30		Principal		Interest		Total				
2009	\$	315,590	\$	327,217	\$	642,807				
2010		356,033		314,095		670,128				
2011		381,494		300,581		682,075				
2012		396,974		285,863		682,837				
2013		405,000		270,353		675,353				
2014-2018		2,335,000		1,074,145		3,409,145				
2019-2023		2,930,000		517,740		3,447,740				
2024	_	655,000	_	27,775	_	682,775				
Total	\$_	7,775,091	\$_	3,117,769	\$_	10,892,860				

On May 23, 2007 the District issued \$5,095,000 in general obligation bonds with an average interest rate of 4.16% to advance refund \$5,160,000 of outstanding 1999 general obligation bonds with an average interest rate of 4.66%. The net proceeds of \$5,101,264 (after payment of \$64,890 of issuance costs and receipt of \$71,152 of net original issue premium) plus an additional \$135,000 of the 1999 Debt Fund monies were used to purchase U.S. Government securities. These securities were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide debt service payments on bonds subject to early redemption on May 1, 2009. As a result, these bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability for these bonds has been removed from the government-wide statement of net assets.

The advance refunding reduced the total debt payments over the next 17 years by \$273,781. This results in an economic gain (the difference between the present values if the debt service payments on the old and new debt) of \$163,416.

Installment purchase: Original amount \$55,256; Purpose - purchase of school bus; Payment terms - annual installments of \$12,475 including principal and interest at the rate of 4.18% commencing on August 16, 2007 and concluding August 16, 2011.

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT - (continued)

General Obligation Bonds payable at June 30, 2008 are comprised of the following issues:

1999 bonds due in one remaining annual installment of \$215,000 on May 1, 2009; interest rate 4.60%	\$	215,000
2004 bonds due in annual installments ranging from \$90,000 to \$225,000 through May 1, 2024; interest rates ranging from 3.10% to 4.70%		2,420,000
2007 bonds due in annual installments ranging from \$230,000 to \$430,000 through May 1, 2024; interest rates ranging from 4.00% to 5.00%		5,095,000
Total General obligation bonds	\$ _	7,730,000

NOTE 8 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The District maintains commercial insurance coverage covering each of those risks of loss. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the School District. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The District participates in SET-SEG's risk management pools for worker's compensation claims, liability insurance and errors and omissions coverages. SET-SEG was established pursuant to laws of the State of Michigan which authorize local units of government to jointly exercise any power, privilege or authority which each might exercise separately. The purpose of SET-SEG is to provide cooperative and comprehensive risk financing and risk control services. SET-SEG provides risk management, underwriting, reinsurance and claim review and processing services for all member governments pursuant to its charter.

The District makes annual contributions to SET-SEG based on actuarial studies using historical data and insurance industry statistics. These contributions are paid from the General Fund. Such contributions as received by SET-SEG are allocated between its general and member retention funds. Economic resources in SET-SEG's General Fund are expended for reinsurance coverage, claim payments and certain general and administrative costs, whereas resources in the member retention fund are used for loss payments and defense costs up to the member's self-insurance retention limits along with certain other member-specific costs. Any refunds from SET-SEG are deposited in the District's General Fund.

NOTE 9 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN AND POST RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Plan Description - The District participates in the Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (MPSERS), a state-wide, cost sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit public employee retirement system governed by the State of Michigan that covers substantially all employees of the district. The MPSERS provides retirement, survivor and disability benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. The MPSERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the MPSERS at 7150 Harris Drive, P.O. Box 30673, Lansing, MI 48909-8103.

Funding Policy - Employer contributions to the MPSERS result from implementing the effects of the School Finance Reform Act. Under these procedures, each school district is required to contribute the full actuarial funding contribution amount to fund pension benefits, plus an additional amount to fund retiree health care benefit amounts on a cash disbursement basis. The pension benefit rate totals 17.74% for the period July 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007 and 16.72% for the period October 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008 of the covered payroll to the plan. Basic plan members make no contributions, but Member Investment Plan (MIP) members contribute at rates ranging from 3% to 4.3% of gross wages. The District's contributions to the MPSERS plan for the years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$240,546, \$237,321, and \$207,442.

Post Employment Benefits - Under the MPSERS Act, all retirees participating in the MPSERS Pension Plan have the option of continuing health, dental and vision coverage. Retirees having these coverages contribute an amount equal to the monthly cost for Part B Medicare and 10% of the monthly premium amount for the health, dental and vision coverages. Required contributions for post employment health care benefits are included as part of the District's total contribution to the MPSERS pension plan discussed above.

NOTE 10 - CONTINGENCIES

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the District expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

The District is a reimbursing employer to the State of Michigan Unemployment Agency and as such is responsible to pay the Agency for all benefits paid and charged to the District. As of June 30, all known liabilities for claims paid by the Agency are recorded as accounts payable.

NOTE 11 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District borrowed \$622,000 on a tax anticipation note from JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA, on August 20, 2008. The note is due on April 9, 2009, and bears interest at the annual rate of 2.90%.



BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Budgeted Amounts			Actual Amounts		Variance with	
	_	2008		2008		Budgetary	F	inal Budget
	_	Original		Final	_	Basis	0	ver (Under)
REVENUES	_	_		_		_		_
Local sources	\$	2,465,527	\$	2,467,986	\$	2,456,600	\$	(11,386)
State sources		104,202		145,896		137,664		(8,232)
Federal sources		76,968		90,857		80,991		(9,866)
Interdistrict sources		199,427		216,927		182,488		(34,439)
Total Revenues	_	2,846,124	_	2,921,666	_	2,857,743	_	(63,923)
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Instruction:								
Basic programs		1,336,398		1,398,349		1,380,041		(18,308)
Added needs		277,336		310,383		297,799		(12,584)
Support services:								,
Pupil services		92,008		99,138		91,693		(7,445)
Instructional staff		152,142		133,344		124,481		(8,863)
General administration		155,072		155,391		150,480		(4,911)
School administration		206,520		204,450		202,073		(2,377)
Business		83,900		108,575		104,304		(4,271)
Operation & maintenance		294,528		299,328		295,976		(3,352)
Transportation		138,445		126,475		121,537		(4,938)
Other		-		-		21,229		21,229
Total Expenditures	_	2,736,349		2,835,433	_	2,789,613		(45,820)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Other financing sources		-		-		-		-
Outgoing transfers & other transactions	_	(109,775)		(79,125)	_	(45,030)		(34,095)
Total Other Financing								
Sources (Uses)	_	(109,775)	_	(79,125)	_	(45,030)	_	(34,095)
Excess of Revenues over (under)								
Expenditures and Other								
Financing Sources (Uses)		-		7,108		23,100		15,992
Budgetary fund balance - July 1, 2007		331,703		397,252		397,252		-
	-		_		_		_	
Budgetary fund balance - June 30, 2008	\$_	331,703	\$ <u>_</u>	404,360	\$_	420,352	\$	15,992



BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

	_	Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds			Nonmajor Governmental Funds		
		Food				T-1-1	
<u>ASSETS</u>	_	Service	_	Athletics	_	<u>Total</u>	
Cash and investments Due from other	\$	30,481	\$	10,498	\$	40,979	
governmental units Due from other funds		980		-		980 -	
Inventory	_	2,327	_		_	2,327	
Total Assets	\$_	33,788	\$_	10,498	\$_	44,286	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
Liabilities:							
Accounts payable Accrued salaries	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Due to other funds		_		10,498		10,498	
Deferred revenue	_	-	_	-	_	<u>-</u>	
Total Liabilities	_	-	_	10,498	_	10,498	
Fund Balances:							
Reserved for inventory Unreserved and		2,327		-		2,327	
undesignated	_	31,461	_	-	_	31,461	
Total Fund Balance	-	33,788	_		_	33,788	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$_	33,788	\$_	10,498	\$_	44,286	

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

-	Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds		
Food Service	Athletics	Funds Total	
\$ 51,496 5,095	10,715 -	\$ 62,211 5,095	
89,430		89,430	
146,021	10,715	156,736	
141,678	- 12 131	141,678 42,434	
-	-	-	
141,678	42,434	184,112	
4,343	(31,719)	(27,376)	
	31,719	31,719	
	31,719	31,719	
4,343	-	4,343	
29,445		29,445	
\$ 33,788	-	\$ 33,788	
	Revenue Food Service \$ 51,496 5,095 89,430 146,021 141,678 141,678 4,343 4,343	Revenue Funds Food Service Athletics \$ 51,496 10,715 5,095 - 89,430 - 146,021 10,715 141,678 - - - 141,678 42,434 4,343 (31,719) - 31,719 4,343 - 29,445 -	

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE DETAIL OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		2008	2007
REVENUES			
Local Sources:			
Current property taxes	\$	2,411,696	\$ 2,323,529
Earnings on investments		28,338	49,179
Miscellaneous	_	16,566	19,025
Total Local Sources	_	2,456,600	2,391,733
State Sources:			
Grants - Unrestricted:			
State Aid		38,008	55,964
Grants - Restricted:			
At risk		47,465	46,798
Special education		49,179	45,945
Other		-	3,439
Received through ISD:			
Other		3,012	7,172
Total State Sources		137,664	159,318
Federal Sources:			
Grants - Restricted:			
Received direct:			
REAP		22,513	21,773
USF		22,313	8,910
Received through State:		_	0,910
Title I		27.460	20 450
Title II		37,460	38,450
		17,443	16,601
Other grants		2,416	671
Received through ISD:		74.4	4 000
Medicaid Other grants		714	1,098
Other grants	_	445	2,078
Total Federal Sources	_	80,991	89,581
Interdistrict Sources:			
Vocational education millage		132,329	146,189
Other		50,159	46,582
		182,488	192,771
TOTAL REVENUES		2,857,743	2,833,403
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:			
			EE OEG
Installment loan proceeds	_		55,256
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	_		55,256
TOTAL REVENUE AND OTHER			
FINANCING SOURCES	\$ =	2,857,743	\$ 2,888,659

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL

GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

INSTRUCTION:	2008	2007
Basic Programs:		
Elementary:		
Salaries	\$ 376,428	\$ 392,822
Employee benefits	220,843	233,426
Purchased services	12,682	13,448
Supplies & materials	11,654	31,447
Other expenses	747	869
Capital outlay	<u> </u>	
	622,354	672,012
Middle School:		
Salaries	214,756	209,209
Employee benefits	113,245	88,447
Purchased services	11,329	7,790
Supplies & materials	5,752	10,552
Other expenses	35	133
	345,117	316,131
High School:		
Salaries	235,563	247,399
Employee benefits	130,208	130,314
Purchased services	8,427	6,837
Supplies & materials	25,256	10,843
Other expenses	11,611	794
Capital outlay	-	-
	411,065	396,187
Summer School:		
Salaries	1,200	300
Employee benefits	305	236
Purchased services	-	-
Supplies & materials	-	-
	1,505	536
TOTAL BASIC PROGRAMS	1,380,041	1,384,866
Added Needs:		
Special Education:		
Salaries	102,262	96,131
Employee benefits	58,889	54,240
Purchased services	1,255	2,043
Supplies & materials	2,291	1,127
	164,697	153,541
Compensatory Education:		
Salaries	57,393	58,223
Employee benefits	51,696	50,244
Purchased services	2,498	220
Supplies & materials	747	909
Other expenses		225
	112,334	109,821

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

INSTRUCTION:	2008	2007
Added Needs (continued)		
Career Technical Education:		
Purchased services	\$ 250	\$ 738
Supplies & materials	20,518	34,889
Capital outlay	-	-
Other expenses		100
	20,768	35,727
TOTAL ADDED NEEDS	297,799	299,089
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	1,677,840	1,683,955
SUPPORT SERVICES:		
Support Services - Pupil:		
Guidance:		
Salaries	51,886	52,799
Employee benefits	29,110	28,193
Purchased services	25	311
Supplies & materials	4,384	1,628
Other expenses	44	203
	85,449	83,134
Other Pupil Services:	0.005	4.000
Salaries	3,665	4,662
Employee benefits Purchased services	832	1,082
Other expenses	1,747	305
Other expenses	6,244	6,049
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES - PUPIL	91,693	89,183
Support Services - Instructional Staff:		
Improvement of Instruction:		
Salaries	15,300	13,775
Employee benefits	6,648	6,437
Purchased services	26,295	25,152
Supplies & materials	490	2,152
Capital outlay	-	222
Other expenses	48,733	332 47,848
Library:	46,733	47,040
Salaries	39,326	1,175
Employee benefits	20,385	1,280
Purchased services	675	97
Supplies & materials	4,543	2,204
Other expenses	50	_,_
•	64,979	4,756

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES - (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	_	2008	2007
SUPPORT SERVICES:		_	
Support Services - Instructional Staff: (continued)			
Other Instructional Staff:		0.000	0.444
Salaries		6,800	9,111
Employee benefits		3,969	5,500
Purchased services		-	-
Supplies & materials		-	-
Capital outlay	_	10,769	14,611
	_	10,769	14,011
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -			
INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF	_	124,481	67,215
Support Services - General Administration:			
Board of Education:			
Salaries		2,925	3,675
Employee benefits		122	, -
Purchased services		14,399	15,321
Supplies & materials		1,752	202
Other expenses		-	2,611
Capital outlay			
	_	19,198	21,809
Executive Administration:			
Salaries		98,935	95,815
Employee benefits		27,935	
Purchased services		2,457	3,574
Supplies & materials		271	2,491
Other expenses		1,684	1,566
Capital outlay	_	-	27,725
	_	131,282	131,171
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -			
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	_	150,480	152,980
Support Services - School Administration:			
Office of the Principal:			
Salaries		120,607	124,202
Employee benefits		72,999	66,009
Purchased services		3,924	2,320
Supplies & materials		1,930	1,623
Other expenses		2,613	2,039
Capital outlay			
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -			
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION		202,073	196,193
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION	_	202,073	190,193
Support Services - Business:			
Other Business Services:			
Purchased services	\$	47,672	\$ 43,800
Supplies & materials		582	475
Other expenses	_	56,050	37,303
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TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES - BUSINESS	_	104,304	81,578

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	2008	2007
SUPPORT SERVICES:		
Support Services - Operation & Maintenance: Salaries	_	_
Employee benefits	- -	1,410
Purchased services	176,524	167,132
Supplies & materials	107,668	98,722
Other expenses	629	498
Capital outlay	11,155	
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -		
OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	295,976	267,762
Support Services - Pupil Transportation:		
Salaries	41,947	48,637
Employee benefits	43,254	37,150
Purchased services	15,739	17,742
Supplies & materials	20,458	18,788
Other expenses	139	25
Capital outlay		54,978
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -		
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	121,537	177,320
Support Services - Information Management:		
Purchased services	10,150	236
Supplies & materials	9,565	31,746
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -		
INFORMATION MANAGEMENT	19,715	31,982
Support Services - SPSR		
Salaries	714	-
Employee benefits	347	-
Purchased services	453	
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES -		
SPSR	1,514	-
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES	1,111,773	1,064,213
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	2,789,613	2,748,168
OTHER FINANCING USES:		
Payments to other governmental units:		
Tuition	-	35,194
Other	836	7,777
Loan payments	12,475	-
Operating transfer - Special Revenue Fund	31,719	31,971
Total Other Financing Uses	45,030	74,942
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER		
FINANCING USES	\$2,834,643	\$ 2,823,110

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS COMBINING BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 2008

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2007

		FOOD				TOTALS			
ACCETC		SERVICE	_	ATHLETIC	_	2008	_	2007	
<u>ASSETS</u>									
Cash Due from other	\$	30,481	\$	10,498	\$	40,979	\$	43,461	
governmental units		980		-		980		987	
Due from other funds Inventory		- 2,327		-		- 2,327		- 2,870	
inventory		2,021	_		_	2,021	_	2,070	
Total Assets	\$ _	33,788	\$ =	10,498	\$ =	44,286	\$ _	47,318	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
LIABILITIES									
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Accrued salaries Due to other funds		-		- 10,498		- 10,498		- 17,873	
Deferred revenue			_	<u> </u>	_			<u> </u>	
Total Liabilities	_		_	10,498	_	10,498	_	17,873	
FUND BALANCE									
Reserved for inventory		2,327		_		2,327		2,870	
Unreserved		31,461	_		_	31,461	_	26,575	
Total Fund Balance		33,788	_		_	33,788	_	29,445	
Total Liabilities									
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$_	33,788	\$ _	10,498	\$ _	44,286	\$ _	47,318	

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2007

		FOOD				то	TALS	;
DEVENUE O		SERVICE		ATHLETIC	-	2008	_	2007
REVENUES Revenue from Local Sources:								
Food service activities	\$	51,496	\$	-	\$	51,496	\$	54,176
Athletic activities		-		10,715		10,715		11,640
State aid		5,095		-		5,095		5,470
Federal aid		89,430			-	89,430	_	61,769
TOTAL REVENUES	Ē	146,021		10,715	-	156,736	_	133,055
EXPENDITURES:								
Food service activities		75,262		-		75,262		55,960
Athletic activities		-		15,077		15,077		8,218
Salaries		37,985		21,969		59,954		63,750
Employee benefits		28,431		5,388		33,819		35,225
Capital outlay					=		_	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	-	141,678		42,434	-	184,112	_	163,153
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER								
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES		4,343		(31,719)		(27,376)		(30,098)
OTHER FINANCING								
SOURCES (USES)								
Operating transfer from (to)								
general fund				31,719	=	31,719	_	31,971
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER								
FINANCING SOURCES (USES) OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	3	4,343		-		4,343		1,873
FUND BALANCE -								
BEGINNING OF YEAR	-	29,445			-	29,445	_	27,572
FUND BALANCE - END OF YEAR	\$	33,788	\$	_	\$	33,788	\$	29,445
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BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL TRUST AND AGENCY FUNDS STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN DEPOSITS HELD FOR OTHERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	BALANCES July 1, 2007		REVENUES		EXPE	NDITURES	BALANCES June 30, 2008		
Class of 2006	\$	426	\$	-	\$	199	\$	227	
Class of 2007	Ψ	547	Ψ	7	Ψ	500	Ψ	54	
Class of 2008	27	,682		62,835		87,964		2,553	
Class of 2009		,123		14,163		6,692		13,594	
Class of 2010		,742		10,126		2,827		13,041	
Class of 2011		(891)		8,021		3,200		3,930	
Class of 2012		58		2,822		3,485		(605)	
Class of 2013		41		4,354		3,668		727	
Class of 2014		-		4,757		3,926		831	
After-school science		500		-		-		500	
Art enrichment		320		1,156		1,462		14	
Baseball		(286)		2,841		2,762		(207)	
Boyne Falls School pavers		,492		50		-		1,542	
Cheerleaders		(82)		82		-		· -	
Cross country	3	,078		3,085		2,034		4,129	
Girls basketball		480		2,058		1,401		1,137	
Library fund		-		4,424		4,027		397	
Miscellaneous	2	,512		1,262		88		3,686	
Music department		296		-		69		227	
National honor society		45		432		-		477	
MS Student council	1	,389		670		35		2,024	
Student assistance		-		612		_		612	
Student council	2	,522		3,820		2,339		4,003	
Volleyball		429		-		-		429	
Yearbook	2	,194		6,532		4,243		4,483	
American Red Cross		47		-		-		47	
Field trip - elementary		2		1,588		1,417		173	
Boys basketball		341		1,564		1,758		147	
Office account		15		-		-		15	
School store		260		-		-		260	
Softball		47		-		-		47	
Julius Kowalski scholarship	5	,667		275		-		5,942	
Jull Stewart scholarship	1	,039		-		-		1,039	
Interest	2	,793		276				3,069	
Totals	\$ 64	,828	\$	137,812	\$	134,096	\$	68,544	

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL SCHEDULE OF OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS JUNE 30, 2008

DATE OF ISSUE - MAY 1, 1999

Original amount of issue - \$ 6,575,000

Purpose of issue - Erecting, furnishing, and equipping a new K-12 building; acquiring,

installing and equipping technology for the new K-12 building; and constructing and equipping outdoor athletic/physical education playfields and playgrounds, and developing and improving the site.

Mandatory Redemption - Bonds maturing May 1, 2021 and May 1, 2024 are term bonds subject to

mandatory redemption on the redemption dates as follows:

May 1, 2021 includes May 1, 2020 and May 1, 2024 includes May 1, 2022

and May 1, 2023. The amounts appear in the schedule below.

Early Redemption - Bonds maturing in the years 2001 through 2009 inclusive shall not be

subject to redemption prior to maturity. Bonds maturing in the years 2009 and thereafter, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the School District, in such order as the School District may determine and by lot within any maturity, on any interest payment date on or after May 1, 2009 at par and accrued interest to the date fixed for

redemption.

On May 23, 2007 the bonds in the amount of \$5,160,000 that were subject

to early redemption were defeased by the 2007 bond issue.

			Sem	i-Ann	ual		Annual	Total
Interest	Fiscal		Interest Payments				Maturity	Fiscal Year
Rate	Year	Ν	November 1		May 1	May 1		Requirements
4.60%	2008-09	\$_	124,810	\$_	124,810	\$_	215,000	\$ 464,620
		\$_	124,810	\$_	124,810	\$_	215,000	\$ 464,620

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL SCHEDULE OF OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS JUNE 30, 2008

DATE OF ISSUE - July 1, 2004

Original amount of issue - \$ 2,650,000

Purpose of issue - Erecting, furnishing, and equipping additions to and partially remodeling

the Boyne Falls Public School facility; acquiring, installing and equipping the facility for technology; erecting, furnishing and equipping a bus garage

and a restroom/storage building; acquiring school bus(es); and

developing and improving the site.

Mandatory Redemption - Bonds maturing May 1, 2020, May 1, 2022, and May 1, 2024 are term

bonds subject to mandatory redemption on the redemption dates as follows: May 1, 2020 includes May 1, 2019; May 1, 2022 includes May 1, 2021; May 1, 2024 includes May 1, 2023. These amounts

appear in the schedule below.

Early Redemption - Bonds maturing in the years 2006 through 2014 inclusive shall not be

subject to redemption prior to maturity. Bonds maturing in the years 2015 and thereafter, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the School District, in such order as the School District may determine and by lot within any maturity, on any interest payment date on or after May 1, 2014 at par and accrued interest to the date fixed for

redemption.

Interest Rate	Fiscal Year	<u>-</u>	Semi-Annual Interest Payments November 1 May 1				Annual Maturity May 1	ı	Total Fiscal Year Requirements
3.10%	2008-09	\$	51,021	\$	51,021	\$	90,000	\$	192,042
3.35%	2009-10	Ψ	49,627	Ψ	49,626	Ψ	115,000	Ψ	214,253
3.55%	2010-11		47,700		47,700		125,000		220,400
3.70%	2011-12		45,481		45,482		130,000		220,963
3.85%	2012-13		43,076		43,076		135,000		221,152
4.00%	2013-14		40,477		40,478		140,000		220,955
4.10%	2014-15		37,678		37,677		140,000		215,355
4.15%	2015-16		34,807		34,808		145,000		214,615
4.25%	2016-17		31,799		31,799		150,000		213,598
4.35%	2010-17		28,611		28,611		155,000		212,222
4.50%	2017-18		•		•		•		•
			25,240		25,240		160,000		210,480
4.50%	2019-20		21,640		21,640		160,000		203,280
4.60%	2020-21		18,040		18,040		165,000		201,080
4.60%	2021-22		14,245		14,245		180,000		208,490
4.70%	2022-23		10,105		10,105		205,000		225,210
4.70%	2023-24	_	5,288	_	5,287	_	225,000	_	235,575
		\$_	504,835	\$_	504,835	\$_	2,420,000	\$_	3,429,670

BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL SCHEDULE OF OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS JUNE 30, 2008

DATE OF ISSUE - MAY 1, 2007

Original amount of issue - \$ 5,095,000

Purpose of issue - To refund a portion of the outstanding 1999 Bond issue, dated May 1, 1999,

bonds which are callable on or after May 1, 2009, and are due and payable May 1, 2010 through May 1, 2019, inclusive May 1, 2021 and May 1, 2024;

and paying the costs of issuing the bonds.

Optional Redemption - Bonds maturing on or after May 1, 2018, are subject to redemption prior

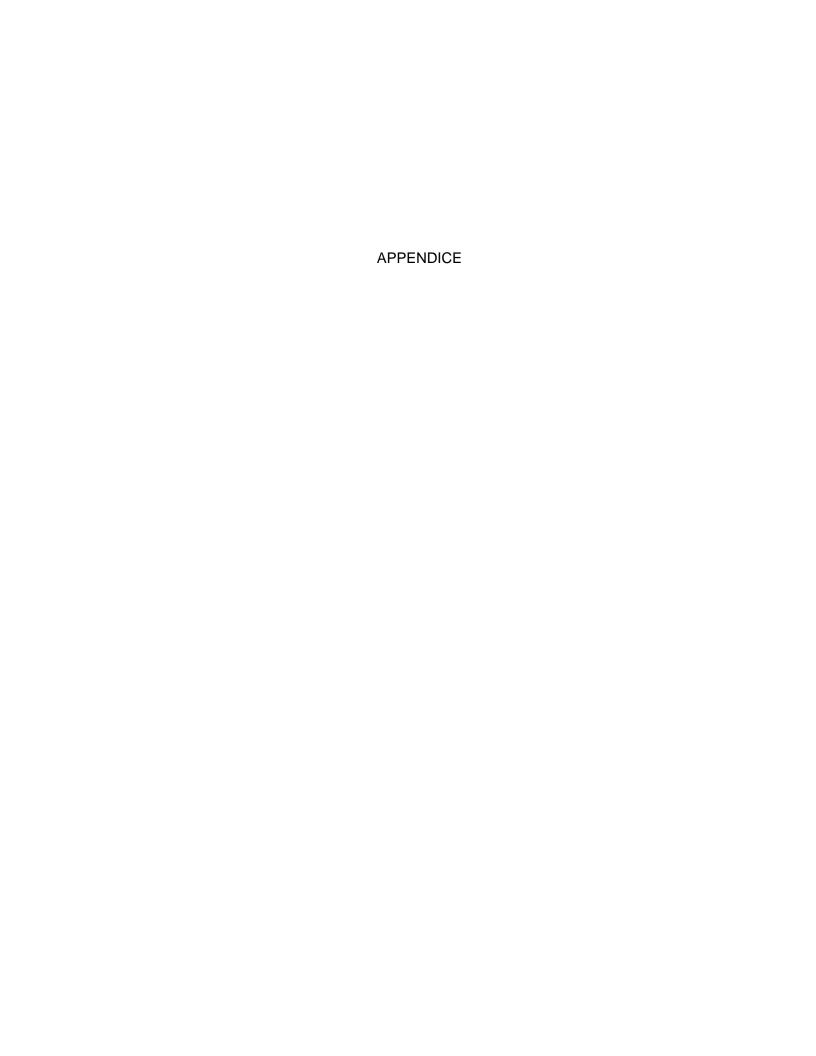
to maturity at the option of the School District in such order as the School

District may determine and by lot within any maturity, on any date

occurring on or after May 1, 2017, at par and accrued interest to the date

fixed for redemption.

		Semi-Annual				Annual		Total
Interest	Fiscal	Interest Payments				Maturity		Fiscal Year
Rate	Year	November 1		May 1	_	May 1	Requireme	
	2008-09	\$ 106,700	\$	106,700	\$	-	\$	213,400
4.00%	2009-10	106,700		106,700		230,000		443,400
4.00%	2010-11	102,100		102,100		245,000		449,200
4.00%	2011-12	97,200		97,200		255,000		449,400
4.00%	2012-13	92,100		92,100		270,000		454,200
4.00%	2013-14	86,700		86,700		285,000		458,400
5.00%	2014-15	81,000		81,000		300,000		462,000
5.00%	2015-16	73,500		73,500		320,000		467,000
5.00%	2016-17	65,500		65,500		340,000		471,000
4.00%	2017-18	57,000		57,000		360,000		474,000
4.00%	2018-19	49,800		49,800		375,000		474,600
4.00%	2019-20	42,300		42,300		400,000		484,600
4.00%	2020-21	34,300		34,300		420,000		488,600
4.00%	2021-22	25,900		25,900		430,000		481,800
4.00%	2022-23	17,300		17,300		435,000		469,600
4.00%	2023-24	8,600		8,600	_	430,000	_	447,200
		\$ 1,046,700	\$	1,046,700	\$_	5,095,000	\$	7,188,400



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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Education Boyne Falls Public School Boyne Falls, MI 49713

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Boyne Falls Public School as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise Boyne Falls Public School's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 11, 2008. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Boyne Falls Public School's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Boyne Falls Public School's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Board of Education Boyne Falls Public School Boyne Falls, MI 49713

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Boyne Falls Public School's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Education, others within the entity, and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Robertson & Carpenter CPAs, P.C. Certified Public Accountants September 11, 2008

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September 11, 2008

To the Board of Education Boyne Falls Public School Boyne Falls, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Boyne Falls Public School for the year ended June 30, 2008, and have issued our report thereon dated September 11, 2008. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

Our Responsibilities under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards and Government Auditing Standards

As stated in our engagement letter dated July 1, 2008, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to express opinions about whether the financial statements prepared by management with your oversight are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Our audit of the financial statements does not relieve you or management of your responsibilities.

As part of our audit, we considered the internal control of Boyne Falls Public School. Such considerations were solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed test of Boyne Falls Public School's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants. However, the objective of our tests was not to provide an opinion on compliance with such provisions.

Planned Scope and Timing of the Audit

We performed the audit according to the planned scope and timing previously communicated to you in our meeting about planning matters on July 20, 2008.

Significant Audit Findings

Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. The significant accounting policies used by Boyne Falls Public School are described in Note 1 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the year ended June 30, 2008. We noted no transactions entered into by the governmental unit during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus. There are no significant transactions that have been recognized in the financial statements in a different period than when the transaction occurred.

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. The most sensitive estimate affecting the financial statements was:

Management's estimate of the net book value of fixed assets is based on estimated depreciation lives. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop the depreciation lives in determining that it is reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

The disclosures in the financial statements are neutral, consistent, and clear.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management has corrected all such misstatements. In addition, none of the misstatements detected as a result of audit procedures and corrected by management were material, either individually or in the aggregate, to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditor's report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter dated September 11, 2008.

Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the governmental unit's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the governmental unit's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

This information is intended solely for the use of the Board of Education and management of Boyne Falls Public School and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

Robertson & Carpenter CPAs, PC Certified Public Accountants